WEIGHING THE TESTIMONY.

McClelland and His Comrades on Their Examination.

Burns Released-Gardner and O'Conner Held for Grand Larceny,

with the larceny of \$110 from the money arrest was identified by Munro's isdy Fourth street, to die, clerk as having been stolen from the drawer of her employer. They were both held in the sum of \$300 each, and in default of bail were remanded to jail,

The examination of John McClelland "Sandy" Forbes and Frank Burns for the burglary of Duke's hardware store on Douglas street, continued Monday last, was then taken up.

Mr. Duke was the first witness called.

Witness' store was bnrglarized on the night of October 21st. He left the store at 10½ o'clock, which was closed by a clerk. He lost 600 knives, some razors lines etc. This property was worth \$800. The entrance was made through a back window between his and Connelly's liquor store. He got his first clue from block watchman Walker. A hackman he learned had taken the parties there, the goods secreted under the Thirteenth He found a knife of hison McClelland's person in Sioux City. He first saw McClelland when he got on the train at Missouri Valley, in Iowa, shortly before he was arrested. He went to Stoux City for the purpose of hunting up some of his property and was after McClelland. Foley erty and was after McClelland. Foley and McClelland were taken into custody by order of the train conductor for the larceny of a couple of valises, but were afterwards turn d over to Douglas county

anthorities for this burglary.

Lon George was next called. Witness saw John McClelland the night of the burglary, with a third party who was not Lew Foley. McClelland came to him that night and asked witness to take him home. He drove McClelland down Douglas and then to his home on Eleventh and Harney.

Lottie Coombs was the next witness. She knew McClelland, Carroll, Foley and Forbs. Remembered the night of the burglary and was living at that time with Carroll through the window. McClelland told her when he came home that night that if there was any trouble she should testify that he came at 11 o'clock, went out for oysters and returned at halfpast one. She did not see any goods
that night, but next morning the officers
came down and searched the house. Her

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family resided at Eleventh and Howard,
where they rented their house to
roomers.

Can only be surmised. The invariable auswer that the reporters received to their requests for information was
that the public had no interest in the meeting. empty trunk was taken out over the back fence by McClelland and was shipped over the road containing Duke's goods. The trunk came back to her in four or town visiting his family. The trunk came back to her in four or five days with a hanging lamp in it for her. The day after the trunk was shipped away Carroll left town, and the day after McClelland followed him. She was given a knife, scissors and button hook, but they were stolen from her in Sioux City. The trunk was taken from her by McClelland and taken to Mrs. Perney's, packed there and shipped away.

Town visiting his family.

Mr. Chas. Westren, of the Grand Union Tea Co., left yesterday for New Lyork, where he will make large purchases for his store.

A. Tefft and daughter, Avoca; Miss Mary Read, Lincoln; J. M. Cates, P. A. Bonett, Weeping Water; J. P. Hymer. Stockviller to Mrs. Perney's, packed there and shipped away.

I was the first step in the direction of the formation of an organization, the alleged necessity for which was outlined in the statements published on Saturday, or was in pursuance of steps that have already been taken and operator, who would not say a word about the meeting or its object, said that while he did not think there would be an effect of the company of the control of the constitution of an organization, the alleged necessity for which was outlined in the statements published on Saturday, or was in pursuance of steps that have already been taken and button hook, but they were stolen from her in Sioux City. The trunk was taken from her by McClelland and taken to Mrs. Perney's, packed there and shipped away.

A. Tefft and daughter, Avoca; Miss Mary Read, Lincoln; J. M. Cates, P. A. Bonett, Weeping Water; J. P. Hymer. Stockviller ments are future, he was certain that within three months a compact organization for the provision of the interest would be perfected. Another operator had thus to say: "I atshipped away.

McClelland pever told her he robbed

the next morning after the burglary he told her he had gone through a hardware store the night before. She was not told where the goods were shipped, as they were sent out of town by Mrs. Perney, This concluded her examination in chief.

The defendant's attorney decided not to cross examine her. The case then went over until this morning at 10:30. As there was no evidence connecting Frank Burns with the robberg, his counsel moved that he be discharged, and it was so ordered by the court.

DESPERATE DEED.

A Man Gashes His Body Over With a Razor.

And is Released From Jail on a Habeas Corpus to Die at Home.

It will be remembered by many in Omaha and especially among the business men and controctors that a few years ago a man came to this city and entered upon the work of contracting, being idenhere and finally skipping out leaving sum of \$1,500. sundry architects, lumber men and store keepers to mourn his loss. He was heard from at one time and another, now north, now south, shifting around and the state against Cyrus Baldwin charged generally making himself known through on the complaint of Daniel Parmalee generally making himself known through some racket. The last heard from him he was in St. Joe and it is believed by was continued over until to-morrow. many that the following is the same man | The defendant gave bail for his appearwho did Omaha up:

On Wednesday night last quite a furore was created in the county jail, at St.

Joe, by one of the inmates, who has been acting as a nurse for W. F. Winscott, the

On Saturday evening last Lyceum hall invalid prisoner incarcerated on the double charge of bigamy and forgery, yelling out at the top of his voice, quick! Winscott has got a razor and is the above society. cutting himself all to pieces.'

The deputy sheriffs and turnkeys, who slept in the jail building, lost no time in entering the jail, at the same time sending a messenger for the county physi-

Winscott was found lying on his cot, groaning terribly, with a number of slashes on his left side, and the blood concluded the evening's diversion. This flowing profusely from his wounds. The was presented in good style and does razor was removed from beyond the credit to the Saratoga talent. would-be-suicide's reach, but nothing was done, nor could be done until the doctor isfaction that by request it will be rearrived, when a critical examination was peated at Florence on Friday next.

made of the wounds, five in number, long

The regular weekly literary entertainand ghastly looking but not deep.

Winscott has been an invalid ever tince which a good program has been prepared. he has been in jail, and will probably not The subject for debate on that occasion live to be tried for his crimes, of which is: Resolved, "That the pen is mighties there is ample evidence of his guilt. A than the sword." constant watch has been kept over him The Sunday evening services at the for months for fear that he would kill Union Sunday school having terminated himself.

On Saturday the prisoner was taken from jail on a writ of habeas corpus, before Judge Grubb, when evidence was heard to the effect that the prisoner further notice.

could not live many days at best, and | that his hours of existence would be shortened by his retention in jail.

In view of this state of affairs the judge ordered that the invalid prisoner be removed to the city hospital and the officers were in the act of carrying out their instructions, when County Attorney Ryan heard of the matter and had two additional caplases issued against Winscott on indictments heretofore found charging him with forgery. These capitases were issued after Winscott had been taken out of the jail but before he In the police court yesterday afternoon had been placed in a carriage to be con-Gardner and O'Connor, the men charged veyed to the hospital, so he was carried into the county recorder's office where he drawer in the store of George F. Munro, Grubb was again called upon, and who remained until 5 o'clock, when Judge grocer at 304 north Sixteenth street, on took immediate action by fixing the the night of December 4, were brought bond of defendant at \$500 in the bigamy before this tribunal on their preliminary case and \$300 in each of the forgery examination. A twenty-dollar note bondsman and Winscott's No. 1 took her found on the person of Gardner after his poor emanciated husband to her home on

STRANGE SASTROM.

He Leaves His Wife and the City for Some Unknown Cause.

Augstrom Sastrom is the euphonious name of a tormer Wahoo merchant who was ruined by the hailstorms that swept stairswherethey completely correlated over Saunders county in the last three or and took the akeys to sithe cell from the four years. Upon his financial downfall sheriff. They then got a light Sastrom came to Omaha, where he has siene been employed as clerk in the New It is reported that he bit one of the maskers and scissors two spring overcoats, tape siene been employed as clerk in the New York store.

Mr. Sastrom was married to a young Bohemian girl and tt is said their family relations were not as pleasant as could be desired. Some ten days or two weeks ago they had a little difficulty but the street sidewalk and afterwards taken away cloud was dissipated and the trouble for gotten. On Monday last Mr. Sastrom asked his employer if he might absent himself from the store for a short time, and his request being granted he went out. He did not return, however, that day nor did he appear at the store yesterday morning. Upon looking over his mail yesterday, Mr. Lehman, his employer, found a card from him telling him that a money order would come in a short time addressed to him (Sastrom) and asking Mr. Lehman to draw it and pay a bill he owed. His wife yesterday also received a letter from him, whose only words were, "Good bye. I am going to leave you." Upon going to the Savings bank where he did his business, it was learned that he had drawn out his money, about \$80 in all.

He has not been seen in the city by anyone since his disappearance from the store, and his whereabouts is only a matter of conjecture. His wife, however, at 411 South Eleventh. That night she thinks he has gone to Saunders county, was at home and McClelland returned at where he has a brother living, and she 11 o'clock. She saw him that evening with started for Wahoo yesterday. The cause Forbes and Carroll later he returned of his departure is also a matter of surmise, but it is thought by some that he must have had other domestic troubles than those above mentioned, which led him to leave the city. Sarstrom's

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J. N. Starr, C. Boyer & Co's, safe man is in

J. W. Brainard and wife, of Como, Colorado, are at the Metropolitan.

Duke's store, but when the officers came Henry Ritter and wife, of this city, who have been traveling through the east and visiting places of interest there, for three months past, are expected home to-day. They will receive a cheerful greeting from their many friends on their return.

Doings in the Courts.

In the United States circuit court, yesterday was consumed by Attorneys Woolworth and Thurston for the defendants and Robertson for the plaintiff in the case of Niedig against the Hanover and Germania insurance companies. The case was given to the jury late in the afternoon under instructions from the court to bring in a verdict of special findings. After about five hours deliberation a verdict, favorable to the plaintiff, it is said, was returned.

This morning the suit of Giles against Little will be brought up for trial. This case case comes up from Lancaster county and arises out of the famous Dawson will being a simple action of ejectment from certain real estate in the Capital

In the distaict court the jury in the case of Hawkinson against Peterson rendered a verdict for plaintiff for \$650.

In the case of Reed against the city tified with the construction of buildings the jury found for the plaintiff in the

Before Judge Wakeley yesterday afternoon the case of Wood against Haily an appealed case was on trial.

Before Judge Anderson the case of with practicing medicine without first having filed his physicians certificate, ance in the sum of \$100.

On Saturday evening last Lyceum hall was crowded to overflowing, the occasion being a dramatic entertainment given by

The affair proved a success in every particular. Noticeable among those who took part in the entertainment were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shields and Miss A. Elliott; the recitations and songs rendered

The entertainment has given such satment will take place on Saturday, for

for the season, a series of religious servi-

"OMAHA CHARLEY'S" LEAP

A Sudden Stop at the End of a Rope.

He is Taken from the Jail at Marysville and Lynched.

The End of a Thief, Desperado and Murderer.

News of the World in General With a Complete Market Report.

MARYSVILLE, Mo., December 9,-Chas. F Stevens alias "Omaha, Charley," who shot Hubert Kremer in Hilgerts saloon in this city on Wednesday of last week was taken out of the county jail last night, a little after miduntil dead on a bridge one hundred yards distant. Sheriff Anderson and Deputy Sheriff Jack Anderson retused to surrender "Omaha Charley" to the mob, A number of shots were fired by the maskers and some of them came near hitting Sheriff Anderson, graming just past his neck. The sheriff and deputy emptied their revolvers and were" forced up and went into the cell where Omaha Charley thumbs nearly off and that another masker was wounded in the arm during the shooting. When they took Charley to the bridge he wanted to be heard. They told him to go ahead when he said: "Gentlemen, what does this mean?" Some voices said. "Is this all you have to say?" He said nothing more expressed that the pulled him, we he avalanced cept when they pulled him up he exclaimed, "My God!" The sheriff and deputy made a gallant defense.

The shooting of Kremer was very unprovoked. He is yet living with a chance to get well. "Omaha Charley" was a desperate man and while many feel that he fully merited such

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treatment yet the law abiding citizens of the community deeply regret that the law was not permitted to take its due course.

SECRET CONCLAVE OF TELEGRAPH OPERATORS AT PITTSBURG. PITTSBURG, Pa., December 7.-There was a notable absence of telegraph operators about their usual lounging places this afternoon and during the early part of the evening. They were not driven away by the cold, as persons who knew their habits might have supposed. It was a stronger agency which carried them away from the corner of Fifth avenue to a large room in the third story of a building not far away. They began to drift to ward that place as early as 3 o'clock, and few left there before 5. It was a meet, ing, and no outsiders were admitted Manager Williams and Chief Operators Mar rel and Prescott were not there either, from which it will be readily understood that the meeting was not composed of the members of the beneficial society organized in this city porters could not learn. It is the intention to keep the fact of the meeting a dead secret. It is known, however, that all present were men who figured more or less prominently in the first great battle. What subject was disand it was not important that even the fact of the meeting being held should be mentioned There is not the slightest doubt that the meet was the first step in the direction of the Another operator had this to say: tended a convention at Cincinnati six months before the strike was inaugurated and there advocated a plan which should be carried out of possible. It was for every member of the organization to pay \$10 or \$20 per month of his salary into a general fund for six months or a year. If that had been done the men would never have been allowed to leave their desks, but would have been given the advance without delay. The company knew how we

without delay. The company knew how we were situated, however, and knew after the first day that our surrender was only a ques-City Election at the "Hub," BOSTON, December 9.—The city election passed off quietly. The weather was pleasant, though cloudy. The vote for mayor omplete is as follows: O'Brien (Dem.) 27,287; Martin (Rep. and citizen) 24,176; O'Brien's majority, 3,111. The board of aldermen will onsist of six republicans, five democrats, and one independent democrat. The common council will stand—democrats 41, republicans 31. Isaac Wright Hall (Dam.) was elected street commissioner by a majority of 3,600 over Hichborn (Rep.). Two women candidates for the school committee were defeated The license vote is—yeas 24,539, nays, 11,100

The Base Ba'lists,

NEW YORK, December 9.-The executive committee of the American Base Ball associa tion to-day awarded the championship pennent to the Metropolitans. Tony Mullane was suspended for one year and fined \$1,000 for jumping his Toledo contract. This action was opposed by the Cincinnati delegate as Mullane had signed with them for 1885 and had received \$2,000 advance money. The \$1,000 reverts to Cincinnati.

A S10,000 Charity Ball. CHICAGO, December 9 .- The fourth annual charity ball of the Hebrew young men's charity association, given at Haverly's theatre to night, proved a brilliant affair socially. The night, proved a british at alter a socially. The entire auditorium and stage were floored over for dancing, and a covered passage way made to the dining-hall of the Union League club, where supper was served. It is estimated that about \$10,000 was realized.

Amicably Adjusted.

TOLKDO, O., December 9.—The case against the Hocking Valley railroad for charging Rend & Co. local rates on freight, while ac cording through rates to other shippers, cam-up in the United States court to-day, and the announcement is made that the matter has been amicably adjusted. All parties seemed well pleased with this settlement.

Wade Hampton Elected. COLUMBIA, S. C., December 9.—The legisla ture re-elected Wade Hampton United States senator. He received every vote of both houses, except three colored representatives, who voted for Smalls, and two colored sen-ators, who voted for Whipper.

Ten Years More to Serve. St. Louis, December 9.-J. B. Johnson, onvict in the penitentiary at Jefferson City who set fire to the prison shop February 23 1883, which burned, causing a loss of \$200,000, was sentenced in the Cole county circuit court to ten additional years in the penitentiaty for arson. He now has 20 years to serve.

The M. E. Centennial Conference. BALTIMORE, December 9. - A reception to the delegates to the centennial conference of Methodism, which begins to morrow was held to night at the First Methodist Episcopal search, German H. Hunt presiding. Fully 3,00 defegates were present.

The J. I. Case Failure. RACINE, Wis, December 9,-The list of creditors to the J. I. Case plow company

which assigned yesterday [together with the amounts due each is yet unobtainable it is said that Mr. Case's claim amounting to \$502,000 in addition to the endorsement to paper for several hundred dollars are unsecur-ed and he will take equal chances with the

ther creditors. Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, December 9 .- For the upper Mississippi valley: Partly cloudy weather local rains; higher temperature; southerly winds.

Missouri: Generally fair weather; southerly winds becoming variable; stationary temper-ature in southern part; lower in northern

Opdyke & Co's, Condition, New York, December 9.-Opdyke & Co's liabilities are said to be a little over \$100,000, only 500 shares of stock being involved in the failure. The failure resulted from an inability to renew loans on securities which previously been accepted.

The New York Bar Association, New York, December 9,-The New York har association passed a resolution to-night night by thirty or forty maskers and hung advocating the passage of a national bankrupt until dead on a bridge one hundred yards dis-

> Will Strike To-morrow. Pirishung, December 9,-The American flint glass blowers to night decided to strike to-morrow if the twenty per cent reduction of their wages, ordered recently, is enforced,

A Montreal Failure MONTREAL, December 9.-It is reported

that Tiffin Bres., one of the largest wholesale grocery firms in the Dominion has suspended, Liabilities, \$300,000.

Pugilistic,

Boston, December 9,-Pugilist Greenfield declines Burke's challenge until the case pending against Sullivan and himself in the New York courts is decided.

Lowell Election. Lowrit, Mass., December 9.—At the municipal election to-day, Noyes, republican, was elected mayor over Flifield, democrat, by 535 majerity.

Chauncey M. Depew Declines, NEW YORK, Deembeer 9.-Chauncey M. Depew has written a letter positively declining to be a candidate for the United States senatorship.

Iowa Sorghum Growers, MABSHALLTOWN, Iowa, December 9,-The State Borghum Growers' convention began a two days session here to-day. The proceed-ings consist of addresses and papers on sor-

Reduction of Wages. CHESTER, Pa., December 6.-A reduction of 15 to 20 per cent on wages was ordered at

Roache's ship yard. Down They Go. HARTFORD, Conn., December 9,-H. Goldmith & Co., dry goods, failed. Liabilities.

Death of El Mahdi's Uncle, LONDON, December 9,-It was El Mahdi's uncle, governor of Obeid, who died recently not the mahdi.

STILL SHOPPING AT 104.

An Enjoyable Excursion By the Oldest Inhabitant of Connecticut,

BRIDGEFORT, Con., Dec.4, 1884.-An incident occurred here to-day of an unusual and pleasing character, that of a al revival of business. woman in her 104th year, Mrs. Bridget Farley, of Stratford, coming here from her home in a caraisge to do a little her daughter and a neighbor. The old lady was delighted with the ride of about three miles. Stopping in front of a store on Main street, she remarked while lowering herself from the carriage, that she had not much time to spend in buying

drygoods. Cane in hand and leaning on the arm of her daughter the old lady entered the store. She was met by the proprietor who conducted her to a seat. To his salutation she gave a hearty hand shake and an earnest "God bless you." Clerks left their counters to see the venerable lady, the likes of whom they had never before laid eyes on. She submitted, after taking the proffered seat, to a hand shaking with all who wished to greet her. Among the customers in the store happened to be that well known little lady. Mrs. Charles S. Stratton (Mrs. Tom Thumb), whose residence is here, She not only shook the centenarian's hand, but entered into a prolonged con-

versation with her. Very soon Mr. P. T. Barnum, the great showman, learning that Mrs. Stratton was at the store, came in, but she had left. The proprietor thereupon introduced him to the centenarian, who, before she would take the showman's hand, insisted on removing her glove. She hoped Mr. Barnum was well, and expressed a wish that he might long continue so. Mr. Barnum replied that he believed by her looks she was good for another fifty years, and Mrs. Farley returned the compliment by hoping he would see one hundred years also.

After making some purchases and talking with several hundred persons, many of them ladies, Mrs. Farley reentered her carriage and went back to Stratford. This is the first instance in Connecticut of a centenarian going shopping.

ArmyOrders.

Leave of absence for one (1) month, to take effect between the 15th and 20th of December, 1884, and with permission to apply for an extension of one (1) month, is granted Captain George M. Downey,

Twenty-first infantry. Recruit Samuel Ihling, enlisted at Fort Sidney, Neb., is assigned to troop G, Fifth cavalry, and will be sent to the station of his troop on the first favorable opportunity.

Recruit George R. Haley, enlisted at

Fort Omaha, Neb., is assigned to the Seventh infantry, and will be sent to the jured. headquarters of his regiment on the first favorable opportunity.

Seal of North Carolina Emok bacco is the best.

CLEVELAND, THE GREAT AMERICAN EAGLE. Honey and Mople Syrup, Fresh Oysters and Celery, Native and Sait Lake Potatoes, Rutabaga Turnips, and a full line of Vegetables of every description at WM. GENTLEMAN'S.

Prettiest Xmas Cards at BELL'S. NOTICE.

The members of the Excelsior counsel No. 1 order of Chosen Friends, are hereby notified to meet at their hall on Farnam street on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 sharp to to attend the funeral of brother L. C. Johnson.

By order of R. R. BALIMAN. Chief Counciler.

Militown wants a newspaper, all its own. At Hurley, a broom brigade has been organ Three National banks are doing business in

Dakota has 2,00 school houses and 80,000 A eigar makers union has been organized at At the Grand Forks university fifty stu-

onts are enrolled The Kimball Methodist church will be ded ated Thursday, the 11th. The Presbyterian church at Sioux Palls

cas dedicated on Sunday last. The perk packing establishment at Siou falls is killing 150 hogs per day. Oats have been selling at Jamestown for

welve and one-half cents a bushel A forthcoming directory gives the city of ioux Falls a population of 7,000, A passenger train has been put upon the Milwaukee road between Yankton and Scot-

The Northern Pacific has reduced the force of workman at Mandan and Slendive 20 per cent for the winter,

Edward Parker, of Yankton, who suffered bloken leg a few weeks ago, died on the 2d rom blood poisoning, The barn of W. P. Smith, near Wheatland, ass county was burned on the 2d inst with 5,000 worth of grain.

Mitchell's city marshal has been given posiive orders to kill every dog in the city not egistered and collared. A dairy maid's sociable was given at Kim-

ball. It was something new, and mush and milk were served for refreshments. The Methodists and congregationalists of Yankton began revival meetings on Monday, They will be contined several weeks.

The United States Express company has withdrawn from Dell Rapids, Egwn and Woonsoket, leaving those stations to the American, which now also runs to Mitchell.

Pierre Signal, 3: In this section of Dakota a large amount of plowing and harrowing is being done during the present week. The weather has been delignfully warm and pleasant and has filled every one anew with enthusiasm over the glorious weather of this incomparable wonderland of pleasing surprises

COLORADO.

Longmont wants a foundry and a cream Salida will dedicate a new school house this On the 17th the Evans post will have

camp fire. Montrose has just finished a new brick Loveland's town tax for 1881 amounts to \$1,670,90.

Fine strings of trout are now being caught a the Gunnison river. The school children of Saguache are having tussle with chicken pox. An oil mill, for the manufacture of linse e

Fairplay levies a town tax of thirty mills this year and Alma thirty-five. Gas heating and cooking stoves are in use at Colorado Springs, owing to the scarcity of

The Catholics intend to build the finest school building in the state on the mesa South have a standing offer of \$100,000 for the clear There are in Colorado 20,000 young men

under 25 years of age. What a state for old maids to locate in. Gunnison rejoices in having two smelters in successful operation, and prospects of a gener

Gunnison is to have a new paper, publican. It will be published on Thursdays and C. Sam Nichols will be the editor. shopping. It was her first visit to Bridgeport. She was accompanied by the other night. No one was hurt but the six. The Royal George trotting association, of

Canon City, has organized for the purpose of building a race course. Twelve hundred dollars have already been subscribed. El Paso county the present year produce 288 050 bushels of potatoes, the great bulk of which have been marketed. It also produced more than 200,000 pounds of butter, and 535, 395 pounds of wool.

The Uncompangre cansl is now being built over the Cushmen mesa. Several Delta county parties have contracts on it. It is intended to have water running through it in time for this spring's irrigating. Judging from the appearance of the fields

this fall, but very little wheat will be raised in this county next year. The area of fall plow-ing done so far is less than at any time during the past six years.-[Fort Collins Courier. The Colorado Coal and Iron company has issued notice to the smelters of the state saying that the company cannot longer fur-nish coke from El Moro. Arrangements are being made to ship coke from Pennsylvania.

Last Saturday afternoon a meeting was held at the court house hall in Colorado Springs to consider the question of raising capital for esthe question of raising capital for establishing reservoirs and increasing the irrigation facilities of El Paso county and more especially the Fountain valley.

A bridge on the Denver, Utah and Pacific

road, about a mile and a half south of Coal creek crossing, burned Wednesday night. The bridge was thirty feet high and about one hundred and fifty fuet long. It is supposed the fire started from sparks and coals dropped rom the eventag Longmont passenger.

Gunnison Review-Press: "A stick of giant powder that found its way into some ore, and was accinentally run through a crusher at the Moffat smelter last Friday is the subject of general comment at the works. Fortunately the damp ore had soaked the powder with water, thus preventing an explosion and no doubt saving the lines of the flue men working about the crusher. The escape seems almost

WYOMING.

An artesian well will be sunk at Cheyenne The Cheyenne hotels are full to over flowing. George Cook will be hanged at Laramie on the 12th inst. About the 28th the new opera house at Rawlins will be opened.

Citizens of Buffalo want a throughstage line rom that place to Cheyenne. The prisoners in the county jail at Big Horn nearly made their escape one day last week by the aid of a crowbar.

Denver parties are talking of starting a variety theater in Cheyenne, but the citizens of the latter place object. Three men at work on the Dale Creek bridge narrowly escaped being killed by a falling timber. As it was they were only slightly in-

The Swan Land and Cattle Company shipped 2.0 head of cattle from Cheyenne one day last week. The stock went to Chicago, with the exception of a few head held in Iowa for still feeding. No traces of Nemiab, the missing proprietor

of the Cheyenne house, have been obtained, although efforts have been ma e to that end. It is probable that his whereabouts will never be ascertained. A beast named John Scott, accused of as-sault upon the person of the eight-year old daughter of Mrs. Alice Hupp at Cheyenne, has fied the town. He would doubtless have been lynched had he been caught.

A special meeting of the miners of the Rat-tlesnake district has been called for December lat, for the purpose of changing the by-laws of the district in regard to the time allowed in which to do assessment work on claims.

Col. Mason, the commandant at Fort Rusel, proposes at once to let the contract fe putting in the water pipes for the fort, which are to lead from and be fed by the city main. This is the first step in the practical beginning of the contemplated extensive improvements at the post.

MONTANA. The erection of smelting works is talked of

A \$10,000 school house has been completed Helena property to the value of \$12.00 changed hands last week.

The last shipment of Montana beeves to the set this year has been made, The Edgerton hotel at Butte has been sold to Alfred E. Driggs for \$4,000.

Helens will make an effort this winter for a appropriation to build a capitol. There are at present 87 patients in the terri-orial insens asylum at Warm Springs. Since the lat of August eastern capitalists One day last week a fourteen year old girl

was found chain d to a log near Midoutana engaged in the work of reformation mong horse thieves,

It is said that a spring in Gallatin county spurts a strong stream of water, which rivals the famous Appollmaris. An Indian attempted to outrage a white

woman near Garrison last work, but was folles by the lady's brother, It is reported that a two-foot vein of gold rock assaying from \$600 to \$800 per ton has been struck near Silver Star. The death sentence of Frank Young, of

Bozeman, has been commuted by the presi deat to imprisonment for life, The county superintendents and school teachers of the territory will hold a meeting at Helena on the 29th 31st of this month.

The new 15-stamp mill now being con-structed on the Margaret Ann lode is nearing completion and will be ready for operation this week.

There is a scarcity of beeves in Deer Lodge valley, and prices are good, spring calves selling at from \$10 to \$20, yearlings \$20 to \$25, two-year-olds \$35 to \$37.59, and three-year-olds at \$45. Ferdinand L. Van Zandt, a Californian, and Stephen A. Fleming, of Butte, have bought the Blue Bird lode and Mone No. 2

lode for \$00,000, \$30,000 of which has been paid down. American, which now also runs to Mitchell.

Sioux Falls now has a Merchants union, composed of about thirty members, the object of which is to make it more difficult for chronic dead-beats to get credit from storekeepers.

The Welena Mining and Reduction Company at its last meeting declared a dividend of \$36,000, to be paid in cash to its stockholders on the 20th of January, at the First National bank of Helena, Montana, and at the office of Clarke, Dodge & Co. New York. This will be a monthly dividend, and each month the stockholders will receive a like benefit. All who are fortunate enough to had stock are appling all over. The Helena Mining and Reduction Co

> MISCELLANEOUS, The smelter at Huston, Idaho, has just started up, and improvements in that region are looked for.

Large deposits of iron ore are found in Shasta, California, and a company has been organized to mine, and smelt the ore. The new Monarch mill, at Atlanta, Idaho, will be ready to commence crushing about the middle of this month, and the old town is

promised a new lease of life. Work has just been commenced, the Hailey (Idaho) Miner says, on a tunnel to tap the Bullion ledge. The mouth of the tunnel is about 300 yards below the jigs, and machinery and workmen have been removed to this point to presecute the work.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Queen of the Hills Mining Co, was held at the office of the company in Ketchum, Idaho, last week. The number of shares represented was 97,000 out of 125,000. Reports were re-ceived and a most satisfactory showing made. The shipments for last month were over \$85,

There is a new mining camp called Mineral about thirty miles from Weiser, and there are strong probabilities that mines as rich as any found in a mining district in Idako, will be developed in the near future. There are two, the Black Bank and the Black Maria, that

THE TENURE OF OFFICE ACT.

A Lucid Statement of the Power of the President to Remove Officebolders,

Judge Richard H. Stanton, an accomplished lawyer and politician, says in the

if they are silly conugh to believe they cannot be removed until the expiration of the term for which they were appointed, we propose to disabuse their minds of so ridiculous an oplnion. The jueztion of the power of the president to emove was considered almost at the beginning of the government, and was decided in 1789 that he had the power to remove without the consent of the senate. When Andrew Johnson became president the northern men then in power proposed to check and control him by the enactment of a law tying his hands in regard to the power of removal. This was the tenure of office act, which was passed in 1867 over his veto. This act provided that every person holding an office for which he had been confirmed by, the senate should hold it until his successor should be appointed in like manner, unless he should be suspended during the recess of the senate for misconduct in office or crime, or because incapacitated. If the senate on meeting should not concar in the suspension he should resume the functions of his office. Johnson's alleged violation of the law in the removal of Stantion from the war office was one of the principal charges on

which he was attempted to be impeached. Gen. Grant, when he became president did not fancy the restraints that this law placed upon his right of removal, and soon after his inauguration the act was so modified as to provide that presidential appointees might be suspended at the pleasure of the president during the recess of the senate, and if the senate during the next session should refuse to confirm the person appointed in the place of any suspended officer, the president might nominate another. Under the act passed during President Johnson's term, if the senate did not confirm the new nomination, the suspended officer resumed the functions of his office. Not so however, under the modified act, for the new renomination does not in any way benefit the suspended officer. merely requires the president to nominate another and may keep on doing so until a nomination acceptible to the senate is made. Under a case of this kind, decided in the court of claims under this law, it was held that the president had the most undoubted right to suspend an officer during the recess of the senate, "with or without cause." The claimant, said the court, may have been the best postmister ever known, without the absolute right of the president to suspend him being at all diminished, or he may have been the worst ever known without that right being an atom strengthened.

This settles the question as to Mr. Cleveland's right to suspend a federal officer of his own will and appoint his successor, and any federal officer whose appointment is from the president is simply an idiot or a fool if he supposes he can hold on to his office against the will of the president.

On the 15th of next October will be observed the two hundredth anniversary observed the two hundredth anniversary of the revocation by Louis XIV of the Edict of Nantes. An appeal is to be made to the descendants of the Huguenots dispersed throughout the world for the raising of a million francs for the various Evangelistic societies in France.

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